

# **Completing Applications**

# Employment Application amplote this application by typing or printing in the INCOMPLETE of UNSIGNED applications in it equal apportunity employes. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, ruligion, color, servication, or disability. eed an accommodation to participate in the application of interview process? [] Yes [] No. ST Restaurant. Job Critic 251111 Job Title Cook.

#### First Steps

- Write a master list of your work histories to include:
  - Name, full address and phone number of all employers
  - Dates worked and reason for leaving that employment
  - Complete description of job duties
    - Click for an example on writing complete job descriptions
      - Put in detail what you did in each job don't assume the prospective employer will know what duties you had to do when (using the example) you were a cook or a housekeeper

ABC Restaurant 123 Any Street Any Town, ST 12345 (123) 456-7890 Jan 2007-Mar 2008 Resigned Cook

- Prepared, seasoned and cooked soups, meats, vegetables, desserts and other foodstuffs.
- Baked, roasted, broiled and steamed meats, fish, vegetables and other foods.
- Carved meats, portioned food on serving plates, and added gravies, sauces and garnishes.
- Washed, peeled, cut and shredded vegetables and fruits to prepare them for use.

XYZ Motel 456 Any Street Any Town, ST 12345 (098) 765-4321 July 2005-Dec 2006 Terminated – will explain at interview Housekeeper

- Inventoried stock to ensure adequate supplies on housekeeping cart.
- Sorted, counted, folded, marked and carried linens.
- Vacuum, sweep and mop floors
- Dust furniture
- Cleaned bathrooms and replenished supplies
- Changed bed linens
- Replenished supplies, such as drinking glasses and writing supplies.
- Maintained high standards of excellence.

#### Transfer information to application

- Complete all areas of the application
- Enter complete work histories from master list
- List additional information that could help you qualify for the job
- List references with complete address and phone number

Employment APP

#### **Employment Application**

Please complete this application by typing or printing in ink. INCOMPLETE or UNSIGNED applications will not be considered. ✓ We are an equal opportunity employer. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin, marital status, or disability. 🗸 Do you need an accommodation to participate in the application or interview process? 🔲 Yes 🖾 No Job Order # 2511111 Employer RST Restaurant Job Title Cook PERSONAL DATA Name John Doe Present Address 456 Any Lane City Any City State ST Zip 56789 Phone (234) 567 - 8912 E-Mail Address Message Phone Driver's License: Operator 🛛 CDL 🔲 CDL Type Endorsements EDUCATION: High School Diploma or GED? ■ Yes Post Secondary Degree? Name of school beyond High School Training Length Date Completed Major Minor Apprenticeship Level In which trade? WORK EXPERIENCE (List most recent work experience first). Company Name ABC Restaurant Immediate Supervisor Jane Smith Complete Address 123 Any Street Any Town ST 12345 Street / P.O. Box State Zip Code Phone (123)456 -Job Title Cook Job Description (duties, skills, equipment used) Prepared, seasoned and cooked soups, meats, vegetables, desserts and other foodstuffs; Baked, roasted, broiled and steamed meats, fish, vegetables and other foods; Carved meats, portioned food on serving plates, and added gravies, sauces and garnishes; Washed, peeled, cut and shredded vegetables and fruits to prepare them for use. From (mm/yy) 01 / 07 To (mm/yy) 03 / 08 Reason for leaving Resigned

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WORK EXPERIENCE						
Company Name XYZ Motel		Immediate Supervisor John S		mith		
Complete Address 456 Any Street	P.O. Box	Any Town City		ST State		
Job Title Housekeeper	F.O. 80X	City	Phone	(098)	765 -	4321
Job Description (duties, skills, equipment counted, folded, marked and carried liner replenished supplies; Changed bed linen high standards of excellence.	ns; Vacuum, sweep and	mop floors; Dust furnitu	ire; Clean	ed bathro	ooms and	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THAT COULD H	SLP YOU QUALIFY FOR THIS	S POSITION				
Besides having worked in various restau also trained under a Chef and learned m LIST REFERENCES (preferably persons w	any important skills to cr	eate elegant meals and			mily reuni	ons, etc. I
Name	Address	No. alivansa and a market and a		Phone Number		
John Doe	789 All Streets, Any To	wn. ST 56789		(123)	789 -	4560
Jim Smith	146 Any Streets, Any T			(123)	456 -	7890
Jill Jones	432 Some Streets, All	Towns, ST 12345		(321)	654 -	9870
The information that you provide on this app consideration for employment or, if hired, may resent employer?						
With my signature below (typed or written), I o of my knowledge and contains no willful falsifi hey may have about me and I release all pers	cations or misrepresentatio	ons. I authorize all former	employer	s to releas	se job-relat	ted informatio
Signature:		Da	te:			



# Job Application Do's

- Gather all necessary information before picking up an application
- Read every word of the application before you start completing it
- Always have a way for the employer to contact you
- Write N/A (not applicable) if it doesn't apply to you
- Complete any specials skills section

## Job Application Do's Continued

- State a specific job or position you're applying for
- Under pay you expect, put "negotiable" or "open"
- Know your strengths
- Include volunteer experience, licenses & certificates
- Carefully word reasons for leaving previous jobs

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## Job Application Do's Continued

- Write "Now" or "Immediately" if you can start right away or "Two weeks notice"
- Sign and date application
- Keep a copy for yourself
- Check your spelling and grammar
- Write neatly or complete the application online if available

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## Job Application Don'ts

- Complete an application without addresses or phone numbers – yours and former employers'
- Just walk in unprepared
- Leave a telephone number that doesn't have an answering machine
- Cross out anything if you make a mistake
  - use white out or start over with a new application

#### Job Application Don'ts Continued

- Ignore a section if it is unclear ask instead
- Leave any section blank
- Use cursive script to complete the forms
- Put "anything" or "any job" or "any opening" for position you are applying for
- Under pay you expect, don't put in a dollar amount unless absolutely necessary

#### Job Application Don'ts Continued

- Write anything negative on an application
- State you quit other jobs. Use "resigned" instead
- Lie or omit facts if the application requires them. Be brief and ask to discuss "may we discuss"



## Other helpful tips

- Always include area code
- Use Post Office codes (MT, OR, WA, VT)
- Dress as if you are ready to start the job
- Be neat
- Type or use online application if possible
- Spell out things that may have more than one meaning (such as Bld – Building? Boulevard? Blond, blind, bland?)

# Other helpful tips continued

Spell out acronyms (JS = Job Service;
 OPA = Office of Public Assistance, etc.)

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If you have any questions about completing applications, please let Job Service staff members know. We will assist you in any way possible.